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TITLE OF INVENTION: SYNCHRONIZATION METHOD AND APPARATUS IN A VALUE METERING SYSTEM HAVING A DIGITAL PRINT HEAD

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